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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

Griffiths et al.

**Serial No.:** 09/889,705

**Filed:** September 19, 2001

**For:** METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
DETECTION OF FLUID LEVEL IN A  
CONTAINER

**Confirmation No.:** 7403

**Examiner:** A. Jackson

**Group Art Unit:** 2856

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Office Action mailed October 21, 2003, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expired on January 21, 2004. This response is mailed on February 20, 2004 with a petition for a one month extension of time and the required fee.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.